

MATTY GIANTS' ONLY HOPE NOW

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CARPENTIER MEETS SMITH TO-NIGHT

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Might Be Well for Morris and Smith to Meet Again in Order to Settle All Disputes.

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CARL MORRIS wishes to explain to the public that if he fouled Gunboat Smith the foul was entirely unintentional. He thinks that he was beating Smith, and that his body punches had more to do with the result than anything else.

Gunboat says that he was finishing Morris with hard body punches and right swings on the chin, and that Morris preferred to lose some other way. "He didn't foul until he was badly stung—that's the answer," says Smith.

Since both are dissatisfied with the result perhaps the most satisfactory way to settle all disputes would be to meet again. Many people have suggested that Gibson put on a return match. Gibson isn't anxious to do it. "I want only clean boxing at the Garden," he said yesterday. "I don't see the sense in taking a chance of having the same thing happen again. Once is enough."

WHILE Morris lost through fouling Smith there is a general impression that with another year of fighting he'd be an invincible heavyweight. He needs more speed and more skill in hitting. If he had that, with his huge bulk and great strength and iron resistance to both body and head blows, he'd be the hardest man in the world to whip.

As for the Gunner, he has improved wonderfully, and as long as he is doing the hitting he's a wonder. We know nothing about Smith on the receiving end, but in standing up under the roughing given him by the Chicago giant, having fifty-four pounds the worst of the weight, he did what very few men could do. Smith has often fought against heavy odds and he always fights. He goes against a Willard or a Morris as cheerfully as against a Flynn. If he wasn't game he'd be a coward. Other world-class champions have shown that to be the easiest way.

JANETTE'S former, Tommy Gavilan, Otto Koehler and Young Ahrens are about to start for Paris. Gavilan expects to have matches with Comper and then Johnson. Janette is to meet Langford in a twenty-round bout for Promoter Vienna in the latter part of November. Langford's manager was offered a match on Nov. 6, but decided that the fight was too close of enough weight for his date. Young Ahrens' fight starts in England, where his style is very popular.

Janette's manager says Joe will surely beat Langford in Paris. He expects a new ally for Janette's showing against the Tar Baby in the Garden.

"It's this way," he says. "Joe was knocking him out a few days before the fight, and got a back kick that knocked two fingers out of place. He couldn't use that hand very well, and only lost some of it during the last two rounds."

An ally of this sort is all very well on an ally. But why should the public be induced to pay its money to see a fighter who isn't able to use his hands in a boxing match?

GUNBOAT SMITH is going to Ireland with Jim Buckley. This Gunboat was yesterday when Gunboat was offered a match with Morris. Buckley said he didn't care to make any more matches before his trip, and that he wouldn't postpone it for any match, no matter how profitable.

THERE is no such thing as sentiment in comparing the ability of competing athletes. That's all a matter of cold calculation. It may be considered the right thing for college boys to "back the team," no matter whether they think the team will win or not. But when it comes to the matter of college sports, nobody bets on a horse because he HOPES the horse will win, whether he thinks its chances good or not.

Yesterday I said in this column after seeing the first game of the series between Giants and Athletics that the Athletics seemed to have the "class," and that they looked able to win four straight. I didn't predict that they would win four straight—that would be foolish. It hasn't been done by any team for many years. In comparing the two teams I simply regarded what I saw of them trying to judge fairly without allowing my natural prejudice in favor of the home team to influence me. The Athletics played better ball than day. They held off with a tough inning win in the second game, and now the Athletics (however little we like to admit it) have continued to show their strength by winning two more. They, with three to one, they have a lead that only the most desperate resistance of McGraw's men can overcome. One thing, the Giants have plenty of fighting spirit. And a fighter always has his fighting chance. More power to them!

Columbian Freshmen on River. Columbus rowing candidates at Columbia turned out in good force yesterday for their first practice on the Hudson under the tutelage of the coach, James C. Rice, and Fred Plaster. More than fifty of the youngsters went out on the river, and were able to put in a good day on the river, a better showing than former classes have been able to make for several years.



What the Rival Managers Have to Say About the Series as It Stands To-Day

BY JOHN M'GRAW (Manager of the Giants)

We have a chance to win the series, and no matter what the outcome, the players who have been in these games for New York deserve credit for being the greatest fighters that ever have taken part in a similar series. There isn't a downman player on the team. I never saw such confidence, and I believe it is justified, too. The breaks cannot always go against us, and the boys will be in there ready to take advantage of them. "Matty" is ready to start and Marquand is going straight now. The boys have begun to hit well with men on base, and this will help a lot in our chase to get even again in this series. I have some young pitchers, too, who are eager to show that they can equal Joe Bush's performance.

BY CONNIE MACK (Manager of the Athletics)

The series isn't over, of course, but it is so near that I cannot figure how we can be beaten. The boys are still hitting, and when some of the players usually most active in that department have an off day there are others contributing the hits that count. On the eve of a game that may decide the series it is impossible to name the pitcher. Yes, if Plank feels right he will be called upon. I never urge Plank to start unless he tells me that he is ready. When he does that I know that we are not going to lose a game through poor pitching. Plank has frequently expressed a wish to start again in this series. I have some young pitchers, too, who are eager to show that they can equal Joe Bush's performance.

Kline Is Winner Over Margolis

Patsy Kline of the Gloucester Athletic Club, the former 115-pound metropolitan champion, was awarded a hair-line decision by the judges over J. J. Margolis of the Union Settlement A. C., the metropolitan champion, in the final bout of the 115-pound class in the amateur tournament held at the Cathedral Club, Brooklyn.

It was a slashing combat from start to finish. Margolis was protested by his opponent as being a professional. He sailed right into Kline in the opening round, jabbing his left to the jaw.

In the second stanza Margolis was wild. Kline made him break ground with vicious lefts and rights to the stomach. Kline kept up his good work in the first half of the final period, and then he got careless. Margolis sent a rounding right swing to the jaw that dazed Kline, and followed it up with several more. Kline was covering up when the going rang.

W. Smith of the Bronx Church House won from John Woods of the Pressing Club in the final of the 135-pound class. It was a hard-fought go.

F. Franchini of the Sunset A. C., who has the earmarks of a champion, beat G. Nash of the Gloucester A. C. in the 115-pound final bout.

Cubs Now Have Lead on White Sox In Chicago Interleague Series

Americans Only Able to Make One Clean Hit Off Pitcher Bert Humphries.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Bert Humphries' brilliant pitching and a terrific onslaught on Jim Scott's offerings in the sixth and seventh innings gave the Chicago Nationals the lead in the city championship series, the third game going to the Cubs, 8 to 0. The American League was helpless before Humphries' baffling curves and made only four hits, just one of which was entirely free from the stigma of "scratches." Only two of the Americans got as far as second base and none beyond that point. The Cub pitcher had seven strikeouts to his credit. Holle and Schalk twice being victims.

Poor fielding helped in the undoing of Scott and the general rout of the White Sox. A wild throw by Collins was sandwiched among hits by Evers, Schulte, Haier and Good in the sixth, and the combination netted three runs, with one out in the seventh, another series of hits with errors by Bodie and Weaver added five to the total.

There was one out when Leach began the attack in the seventh with a double into the crowd. Evers walked and Schulte slammed a single to right. Leach scored. Zimmerman beat out a bunt, scoring Evers, and after Haier struck out, Good shot a sac, and Bodie made a mess of retrieving the ball and Zimmerman sped over the plate. Good going to second. Weaver fumbled Bridwell's grounder and Good scored.

Just before the game the announcer shouted the news of the dynamiting of the Cambria mine. While the band played "The Star Spangled Banner," every man in stands and field, including the players of each club, stood with bared heads. A mighty cheer was given.

The attendance taxed the capacity of the West Side Park. Official figures were:

Attendance, 17,867.
Total receipts, \$12,918.
Commissioner's share, \$1,291.
Players' share, \$2,955.
Each club, \$2,332.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—The Nationals, by timely hitting in the seventh inning, mixed with an error, won the second game with the local American League. The score was 4 to 1. The Nationals got a run in the fifth inning when Konechky singled and tallied on Evans' two-base hit. The Americans tied it in their half of the seventh inning on singles by Warren, Agnew and Williams. The Nationals took the lead in the same inning, scoring three runs. Konechky tripled, Evans was hit by a pitched ball, Wingo singled, scoring Konechky. Evans also scored and Wingo raced to third when Austin missed Hogan's throw. Perritt singled and Wingo tallied the last run of the game.

\$135,163.89 Will Be Divided Among Players of Both Teams

RECEIPTS OF FOURTH GAME.	
Official attendance	20,568
Total receipts	\$49,045.00
Players' share	\$28,908.30
Club owners' share (equally divided)	17,872.20
National Commission	4,964.50
Total	\$49,045.00

RECEIPTS FOR FOUR GAMES.	
Official attendance	114,310
Total receipts	\$250,303.50
Players' share	\$125,163.89
Club owners' share (equally divided)	\$62,581.95
National Commission	\$62,581.95
Total	\$250,303.50

The attendance at the first four games last year was 137,004 and the total receipts were \$275,330. Last year the players divided \$127,671.70, where as this year they will divide \$125,163.89 or \$18,497.21 less than was divided in 1912.

In the series between the Athletics and Giants in 1911 the attendance for the first four games was 126,120 and the receipts were \$236,861.50. The players' share for that series was \$127,910.61 or \$17,693.28 less than they will divide this year.

Yesterday's game was the last of the series in which the players share in the receipts.

Of the players' share the winning team will receive 60 per cent. of \$125,163.89, or \$62,581.95, and the losing team will get 40 per cent. or \$50,000.00. The money is divided equally among the players. The Athletics and Giants each have twenty-five eligible players. If the Athletics win each player will receive \$2,523.23, and if the team loses each member will get \$2,160.00.

If the Giants win each player will receive \$2,523.23 and if the team loses each will get \$2,160.00.

In the 1911 series the Athletics won and each member of that team got \$2,664.50. Each member of the Giants, the losing team, got \$2,160.00.

Capt. Hoby Baker, After Two Weeks' Rest, Back in Tigers' Lineup

Princeton Uses Its Best Back Field Combination Against Bucknell To-Day.

(Special to The Evening World.) PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 11.—Hoby Baker, captain of the Tiger eleven, will appear again on the gridiron this afternoon against Bucknell after a rest of two weeks. It will be a good sight to the Princeton supporters to see their elusive halfback again on the field. In fact, it will be a pleasure to see the whole back field trot out for the fray.

The coaches have at last been able to find the best combination for the four positions behind the line. S. Baker at quarter, H. A. Baker and Glick at halfbacks and Street at fullback make a well balanced set, except that there is no good kicker. Hoby Baker will probably do the punting.

E. Trenkman has developed far enough this week for the coaches to start him at center. His weight and strength make him preferable to Emmens.

Keene Fitzpatrick allowed the men no scrimmage yesterday, but gave them a long signal drill. During this drill H. Baker and Glick made a snap and worked with the linemen. The backs, under Dr. Bull, except during the signal drill, spent practically the whole afternoon in kicking.

Pennsylvania. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Pennsylvania is ready for the game with Swarthmore to-day and prepared to revenge the defeat of a year ago. Yesterday afternoon the players attended the game between the Athletics and Giants as the guest of the alumni and returned in time for a sharp signal practice. The men ran through their plays with a snap and vigor that brought a smile to Coach Brooke's face.

All the regulars, with the exception of Avery, are in good shape for the contest. Cap Young will be in the lineup for the first time since the Gettysburg game, two weeks ago. The Quaker leader has been showing up brilliantly in the scrimmages this week, and the coaches expect great things from him. Bolger, who made such a good impression in the Lafayette game, will play in Avery's place at rear halfback, and Crane will replace Harris at right tackle.

Harvard. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 11.—It looks like another rainy day session at the Stadium this afternoon when Harvard meets the strong Williams eleven. Both teams will present their strongest lineups. All the Harvard so-called regular team is expected to get into action, and with the great crimson backfield containing Hardick, Mahan and Brickley a comfortable score is expected. Coach Fred Daley, the ex-Yale star, is out to make a good showing with his Berkshire Hill boys. In Turner and Poolan he has a great pair of hard-working rushers.

Yale. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 11.—Wilson, who has been playing quarterback on the Yale varsity football eleven almost since the beginning of the season and who was generally regarded as a find for that position, has been shifted by the Yale coaches to fullback. He will start the game against Lafayette in that position to-day. If he does not come up to expectations he will be replaced by Weiser immediately, but the coaches think he will be much better than at quarter.

Wilson has been a good quarter, except that he often gets "rattled," and though he gets over it, the coaches figure this tendency to "go in the air"

Brief Review of Series.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.
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First game, Tuesday, at Polo Grounds—Athletics, 6; Giants, 4. Batteries—Bender and Schang; Marquand and Meyers.

Second game, Wednesday, at Shibe Park, Philadelphia—Giants, 3; Athletics, 0. Ten innings. Batteries—Mathewson and McLean and Wilson; Plank and Lapp.

Third game, Thursday, at Polo Grounds—Athletics, 8; Giants, 2. Batteries—Bush and Schang; Treanor, Crandall and McLean and Wilson.

Fourth game, yesterday, at Shibe Park, Philadelphia—Athletics, 6; Giants, 5. Batteries—Bender and Schang; Denaree, Marquand and McLean and Wilson.

Fifth game, to-day, at Polo Grounds. Should the Athletics win, the series will be decided, as conditions call for the first four games won in seven. If the Giants win to-day, the sixth game will be played Monday in Philadelphia. Mathewson is McGraw's pitching selection for today. Plank probably will oppose him, though Shawkey and Brown are clamoring for a chance to go in.

TWO BIG FOOTBALL GAMES IN THE WEST TO-DAY.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Missouri's struggle with Illinois at Urbana, Ill., and the Purdue Northwestern game at Lafayette, Ind., will divide the interest of football followers in the Central States to-day.

Missouri's Tigers are expected to make more than a good showing against Illinois. Coaches Brewer and Schulte hope to win.

Undecided as to his line, Coach Grady will send his Evanston athletes against Purdue in the hope that his back field will offset by a vigorous attack the weakness of his forwards.

Fans Can Inspect Ebbets Field. Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn National League Club, announced to-day that he will throw Ebbets Field, the beautiful home of the Dodgers, for inspection to-morrow by the baseball fans from out-of-town who are here attending the world's series games between the Giants and Athletics. "I am pleased to extend this invitation to the rosters," said Ebbets, "as I want them to see the most up-to-date baseball park in this country, and the grounds where the world's series may be played next year."

FALL RACE MEET OPENS AT PIPING ROCK TO-DAY.

Piping Rock's fall race meet will get under way on the picturesque course of the club at Locust Valley, L. I., this afternoon. There are twenty-five entries in the race for subscription ponies at six furlongs, for which the best price of the day will be given. The Oak Ridge Cup Steeplechase has a number of well known performers through the field entered, with Gold Plate carrying the top weight of 156 pounds. Little Reylorn, who was a big winner at Saratoga, is asked to carry 170 pounds in the race for galloways. The three-year-old steeplechase for the Northwood Plate has filled well, and among the entries are most of the Harbor Hill candidates. The first race will be run at 2 o'clock.



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